

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

FRANK J. SHELTON, et al.,  
Plaintiffs,  
v.  
AIR & LIQUID SYSTEMS  
CORPORATION, et al.,  
Defendants.

Case No. [21-cv-04772-YGR](#) (JSC)

**ORDER RE: SETTLEMENT PROCESS**

This action has been referred to Magistrate Judge Jacqueline Scott Corley for settlement purposes. The remaining parties in this case are ordered to do the following:

1. On or before **February 18, 2022**, Plaintiffs shall make a demand in writing for settlement to each defendant. If Plaintiffs have already done so, Plaintiffs shall reiterate their demand or make a new demand.
2. On or before **March 8, 2022**, each defendant shall respond in writing to Plaintiffs' demand.
3. Following the exchange of offers and counteroffers, the parties shall negotiate in a good faith attempt to resolve the claims without further court intervention.
4. If the case is not resolved by the negotiations, then on or before **March 25, 2022**, Plaintiffs and each remaining Defendant shall submit a letter to [jscsettlement@cand.uscourts.gov](mailto:jscsettlement@cand.uscourts.gov) summarizing the status of the parties' settlement negotiations thus far and a proposal for further ADR efforts, including optimal timing. The letter shall be copied to the relevant opposing counsel.
5. Upon the Court's review of the settlement status letters, the Court will contact the parties regarding next adr steps.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: January 19, 2022

  
JACQUELINE SCOTT CORLEY  
United States Magistrate Judge

United States District Court  
Northern District of California